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The man who is in the habit of getting

The coal is now put in the bin
And the coal map rakes the shekels in;
But the wind blows keenly o'er the world,
And the world is cold, the world is cold! Masonic,—8t. Helens Lodge, No. 13—Regular communications first and third Saturday in each month at 7.30 r. R. at Masonic hall. Visiting members in good standing invited to attend.

Masonic—Rainier Lodge, No. 24—Stated meetings Saturday on or before each full moon at 7.50 r. R. at Masonic hall, over illamehard's store. Visiting members in good standing invited to attend.

A paper devoted to plumbers is called The The craft will probably keep it on file.

Not, "Is it cold enough for you?"—
The phrase of which all have grown weary—
But have you read Robert Elsmere
Is now the popular query.

One Fallows—St. Helens Lodge No. 117— Meets every Saturday night at 7:30. Transient brethren in good standing cordially invited to attend. A female lawyer may be a spinster and have objections to marriage, but when she accepts a retaining fee she tacitly admits that she is

engaged. In black December, raw days, fog days Follow close each other;

"The same" is said to be the most popular

at 12 M.
Mails (railway) north close at 10 A. M.; for Portland at 3 P. M. We strive and strive to reach a place above;

"The Fishery Question"-Say, have you This is about the time when the farmer

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Brown-Green is a very intellectual man,

St. Helens, Oregon

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Clatekanie, Columbia county, Or. Young Wife-How the world moves! CIVIL ENGINEER,

Young Husband-Yes, and now they're County surveyor. Land surveying, town platting, and engineering work promptly

May I go with you, my pretty maid? You may if you'll wait outside, she said W. H. CONYERS & CO.

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LEAVES PORTLAND 1:00 P. M. ABRIVE STELLA 7:45 W. E. NEWSOM.

"Is marriage a failurer" the bachelor cried. And the youth who is courting a girl replied: "I've never been married, and cannot guess, But courtship, I know, is a big success."

There is usually a good deal of back talk

REVERIES OF A PHILOSOPHER.

They're having now their breathing time, But they're determined, all, Whatever the result may bo, Next year they will play ball.

When a man, who greatly admires a beau

tiful woman, makes her a profound bow, is he, as one might say, courting her on the

Naught the lover's artior damps When his girl has got the stamps

Lay figures-the price of eggs.

bustle.
Whether the play is bright or flat, To him it is never known Who stares at the back of a lady's bat And swears, as the acts go on.

When a woman wants the earth, it is with

The posts declare, and perhaps they know; Yet we find, as the world wetravel through, That lovers are plenty and friends are few.

Good looks should not be despised. There have been few heroes with turn up noses and how legs,
How wise are we when the chance has fied,

"pretty well on" lessens his chance of getting to be "pretty well off."

Down river (boat) closes at 8:30 A. M. Up river (boat) closes at 4 P. M. The mail for Vernous and Pittsburg leaves t. Helens Monday, Weinseday and Friday at

But it is only in the "dog days". That we have "beastly weathe

We're not content with what we see and know; The man who wins a loving woman's love Has got a glimpes of beaven here below!

fishes through the ice and catches a twenty-two pound pickerel.

ander the denomination of "Men of letters," and, by the way, so should letter carriers.

what they call a man of large grasp.

Black—A man of large grasp! I should think he was. Why, when he dances in a walts be can put his arms around "the

whirled."
Young Wife—My love, I have a delightful
surprise in store for you! You cannot guess
what it is.
Young Husband (full of pleasant anticipa-

tions) - What is it, darling!
Y. W. - I've invited mother to spend the holidays with us.

sie Gray, an old chum of mine, a tered a medical college. She will soon be able to write M. D. after her name. Women are coming to the front, I tell you. For-merly girls were taught nothing but house-

Where are you going to, my pretty maid: I'm going to the dry goods store, she said

How long shall I wait for you, my pretty maid? Until I look over the samples, she said.

And how many samples, my pretty maid? Bome of calico, some of silk, some of pique, some of linen, some of lawn, some of veivet -ribbons, trimmings, buttons, gloves, laces,

I cannot go with you, he gloomily said.

- Boston Courier.

Patient-What is the best position in which Doctor-I usually lie down.-Beston Cou

There promises to be a great deal of back alk in the phonograph.—Pittsburg Com-



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Portland, Or.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

Old Chief John of the Saanich Indians is Dead.

A FLOATING NATIONAL BANK.

Indications of Unprecedented Floods Along the Valleys of the Columbia and Snake.

The Chino beet factory is being en-larged for the coming crop.

The Columbia-river canneries have se far packed 45,576 cases of salmon. Shasta's (Cal.) Supervisors have ap-propriated \$1,000 for a mineral exhibit at the World's Fair.

The contract has been let for a new opera-house at Pendleton. It will have a seating capacity of about 500.

Another wonderfully rich strike in gold is reported from Baker City, Or. The people are much excited. For the first time in more than a year

Southern New Mexico has been visited by a rainstorm of some twenty hours' duration. Riverside so far has shipped 1,700 car-loads of oranges—500 more than last season. About 500 carloads are yet to be shipped.

Forty acres of ground have been lo-cated for placer mining at the mouth of the Peshatin, Washington. It is expected that the pay will be large.

Kid, the renegade Apache, has been heard from. He has just visited the San Carlos reservation and supplied himself with another squaw.

Old Chief John of the Saanich Indians recently died at Saanich Arm, B. C., where he had been quietly living for many years. He supposed he was 130 years old. The present chief is over

Another irrigation and water-storage enterprise is being surveyed on the Gifa, twelve miles above Yuma, A.T. The proposition is to put a sixty-foot dam on the river at a point where it is crossed by a natural ledge.

Grace Murphy has obtained a verdict at Fresno, Cal., for \$4,000 against Mrs. Johanna Smith of Golden Gate avenue, San Francisco, who had charged the girl with theft. The suit was for damages for false imprisonment.

It is reported that the Southern Pacific will begin the construction of the Black Canon line, surveyed over a year ago, to connect the Maricopa and Phoenix line with the Bullock road, a listence of 110 miles from Phonix to distance of 110 miles from Phoenix to Prescott.

Frescott.

For several days and nights thunder and rain have prevailed throughout the Colorado Desert. The Harqua Hala country in Arizona has met with heavy rains extending towards Phonix, and on the Upper Gila it has amounted to almost a flood.

Colorad H. V. Van Marketter and Colorad

Colonel H. E. Linsley, a capitalist well known in the Northwest, has ap-pled for a charter for a national bank to be established aboard a barge, which he purposes moving among the mining towns of Lake Kootenai, Idaho, none of which can support a bank, though in need of the facilities of one.

The proprietors of the proposed woolen mills at Bandon count on securfor their mill. They estimate there are 80,000 sheep in these two counties, but that if the entire product of these is secural it will not be sufficient to the purposes of the new mill, and that wool must be imported from Eastern Oregon.

Upon telegraphic orders from Washington Paymaster J. C. Sullivan of the receiving ship Independence at Mace Island was placed under arrest and his sword taken from him. It is reported that there are some irregularities in the paymaster's accounts, but the officer's friends believe that he will be able to straighten out matters satisfactorily.

At Boise City, Idaho, Judge Beatty in the United States Court refused the motion of the Last Chance mine owners motion of the last Chance mine owners for a new trial in the case of the Last Chance vs. Tyler and others. The verdict of the jury, which was in favor of the Tyler men, will stand unless reversed by the Supreme Court of the United States, to which an appeal will be taken. be taken.

The deep-water gold trap recently invented by Simson of Cariboo, B. C., and proved successful in experiments, is this season to be subjected to the test of actual service, the scene of operations being the almost inaccessible Nation river, for which remote corner a Cariboo party headed by Simson and his moneyed partner, Fissault, have already left. If the invention meets expectations, it will revolutionize placer mining everywhere.

everywhere.

The abundant water supply that is promised by the melting snows will afford the means of working many an old gulen or ravine which years ago yielded handsome returns and which have been practically abandoned awaiting a season like the one that is now at hand, and throughout Baker and adjoining counties there will be an activity manifest that will result when the final cleanup is made in the fall in distributing many thousands of dollars of the golden treasure into the channels of trade.

There is every indication of an un-

There is every indication of an un-precedented flood along the valleys of the Columbia. Snake and tributary rivers within the next few weeks. The water is higher in the Willamette river at Portland than at this date in any previous flood year. Farmers along the lowishos, and merchants whose business houses are along the river front are greatly alarmed, for even if the water rises slowly their entire stock must be removed from the lower stories or be completely ruined.

completely ruined.

Harry Raymond, who represented himself as an agent of the Red Cedar Shingle Company, secured from David Ferris of Portland, Or., manager of the Oregon and California Lumber Company, a check for \$1,000 after giving a bill of sale for \$00,000 shingles. The affair has not yet been settled up. Raymond, whereven he is now, still has the money, while the Seattle bank whiel cashed the check still hangs to the check in the hope that it can either come back on Ferris or the mill at Mt. Vernon for the \$1,000.

LIDUSTRIAL TTEMS. .

THE OREGON MIST.

A new medicine bottle indicates the The deposits at American savings banks amounted in 1831 to 1,654,000,000. Sixty per cent of the sloes used in the The coal and coke business of Colora lo

The exports of petroleum from the United States last year were 582,200,000

It is estimated that Britte, Mont., will produce 130,000,000 pounds of copper this year.

The gold and silver product of Mexico is about \$70,000,000 per annum, princi-The cost of boots and shoes worn out in the United States every year is more

than \$400,000,000. Seventy per cent of the people of Cey-lon live by agriculture. The percentage in Britain is 15.44.

Glassworkers are so scarce at Pitts-burg that employes dictate what kind of glass shall be made.

During January and Rebruary of this year 902,062 bunches of bananas were imported to this country, Near Cordoba a Mexican syndicate la experimenting with tea-planting. Chi-nese labor is used in part.

Steamers and sailing vessels under the British flag number almost 12,000; un-der the United States flag, 3,297.

The newspapers in Germany are large ly sold by women, and the small newsbo of America is unknown in Berlin. In the Island of Ceylon 760,000 acres

are devoted to the cultivation of cocoa nuts and 40,500 acres to cinnamon. The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York has increased its cap-ital stock from \$6,500,000 to \$10,000,000.

The Chapin iron mine at Ishpeming, Mich., has decided to add 500 men to its force and increase production to 800,000 The product of pig iron in this country has very greatly increased during the past few years, while that of England has largely decreased.

In Witu, East Africa, they are making sugar from cotton seed that is said to be fifteen times sweeter than that made from Louisiana sugar case.

Senator Mills says that for ten years the railroads of Texas have been oper-ated at an actual loss of \$1,000,000 a year to the railroads themselves. For the twelve months ending April 30, 1893, 150 national banks were estab-lished in the United States, with an ag-

gregate capital of \$14,325,000. A German journal states that in the year 1889 the quantity of cotton produced in the whole world amounted to 11,400,000 bales, while in 1870 it reached only 6,200,000 bales.

In the past twelve months \$50,000,000 of the silver notes is used under the law of 1890 have been added to the circula-tion, while the gold certificates in circu-lation have decreased \$44,000,000. There are three large porcelain facto-

cester and Stoke-on-Trent. The one in Derby employs something like 400 hands, and many eminent artists are engaged it designing and painting for it. The cocoanut tree is the most valuable of plantis. Its wool furnishes beams, ratters and planks, its leaves umbrellas and clocking, its fruit food, oil, intoxi-

cants and sugar, its shells domestic uten-sils, its fibers ropes, sails and matting. PERSONAL MENTION.

Senator Morrill of Vermont is in bet ter health than he has been for several years, though he recently celebrated the anniversary of his 83d birthday.

Mr. Selons, who gets a medal from the Royal Geographical Society this year, is believed to have killed more elephants than any one else. He is popularly re-garded as the original of Rider Haggard's Allan Quatermain.

Nat M. Brigham, recently appointed United States Marshal of Utah, will be remembered by Harvard men of about fifteen years back as one of the most noted tenors who ever sang in the Glee Club. He is a classmate of Theodore Roesevelt and Josiah Quincy.

Prof. Barnard has discovered more comets than any other man living, having sixteen to his credit. Ten years ago
he was a photographer's assistant at
Nashville, his value as an amateur astronomer having been first discovered by
the authorities of Vanderbilt University.

Colonel Ward Hill Lamon, President Lincoln's intimate friend and unsuccessful biographer, who died the other day at Martinburg, W. Va., is said to have had another book in preparation at the time of his death. It was to be a three-volume compilation of his reminiscences of Lincoln and the control of the colonial control of the colonial colonia of Lincoln and the war.

Captain William R. Smith, who for forty years has been Superintendent of the National Botanic Garden at Wash-ington and President of the Society of american Florists, has copies of 650 editions of the works of Burns, the poet, a collection only excelled by those at Glas-

gow and the British Museum.

The Shah has an unfortunate affection for Great Britain. He is always writing to the Queen offering to visit her Majesty, who is thought, however, to have had enough of him last time. He not only drinks a bottle of brandy a day, but is also an opium eater, and is a man of violent and irresponsible habits. The only surviving officeholder unde

Jackson's administration is said to be Judge Benjamin Patton, who was at that time United States District Attorney. He was present at Cleveland's inauguration, though he is 84 years old. He lives quietly on his great estate of nearly 2,000 acres, known as Fontland, near Hicks-Carolus Duran's recently finished por-

Carolus Duran's recently finished por-trait of the Baroness Creuze de Lesser is pronounced by a French critic "a chef d'œuvre from the three points of view of design, coloring and likeness." Duran is a handsome man of 60, now grown stout, but still agile enough to be an ex-pert fencer and a fine horseman. His layorite model is his wife. Pauline Markham, who is suing for

large damages for a broken leg in Louis-ville, was photographed so extensively a decade or so ago that nearly everybody decade or so ago that nearly everybody became familiar with her languishing eye and Madonna-like face. She is now rest 45 years "e, but still a fine-looking woman T "e is not a wrinkle in her face, an the expension who set her broken member... that she has "the most beautiful and shapely limb" he ever saw, and that "the flesh is as firm as markle."

EASTERN NEWS.

Salvation Army Men Arresta 1 for Counterfeiting.

COLORED DEMOCRATS KICK.

A New and Important Ruling Over turning Former Practices as to Admission of Idiots.

The Dakota wheat acreage has been reduced about 14 or 20 per cent.

The proprietorship of the New York Herald has been invested in a stock company. The cable rates between this country and China have been reduced to \$1.96

per word. The New York Board of Education is hard up for money to pay the salaries of teachers.

It is estimated that the new buildings erected in Philadelphia during 1893 will cost \$28,000,000.

Eighty bodies of paupers and unknown persons were lying in the Chicago morgue one day last week.

Skin from a dissected convict was made into purses for a dozen Michigan University medical students. A law and order crusade has been started at Nashville, Tenn., and gam-bling houses will be suppressed.

The Judiciary Committee of the Michigan House has reported in favor of a return to hanging in that State.

The only States in the Union which hold more silver than gold in their na-tional banks are the Southern States. In the annual report of the Cincinnati Sanitarium it is asserted that the gold cure "makes lunatics by the wholesale."

James R. Keene is said to have made 11,500,000 by the big crash in National Cordage on the New York Stock Ex-The Northwestern Guaranty Loan Company of Minneapolis is in trouble, and suspension, it is said, cannot be

Joseph Jefferson, the distinguished comedian, has had an abscess on the back of his neck cut. He had been

suffering very much. Governor Flower of New York has vetoed the act appropriating money for the establishment of a colony for epileptics in that State. The Massachusetts Legislature is con-

sidering a bill requiring all road wagons of burden to be provided with tires from three to five inches wide. The crevasse at Lakeport, Ark., is in-creasing in width, and the whole land in that section is being covered with water from the Mississippi.

St. Paul takes a day off, or rather three days off, beginning June 7, and cylebrates the completion of J. J. Hill's Great Northern road as a transcontinen-A Minnesota engineer is seeking to obtain a charter from the Canadian

ship canal to connect Lakes Erie and The house-to-house inspection, which was began by direction of the Philadelphia Board of Health some weeks ago, has already abated thousands of misaness.

Bears and panthers, driven by floods from the lowlands of the Saline river in Arkansas, are making life miserable to farmers. Many domestic animals have

The story in circulation to the effect that the bureau of engraving and print-ing is quietly printing bonds with a view to having the same ready for issuance shortly is without foundation.

shortly is without foundation.

An act passed by the Alabama Legislature prohibits the killing of ringnecked Mongolian pheasants in the State for a period of eight years, beginning June I of the present year.

The National Negro Democratic League wants all the negroes appointed under Republican control turned out of office, and has addressed a letter to the President suggesting such action.

George Hallett and George Mason, two Salvation Army men at Souix City, Ia., have been arrested for counterfeiting. On their confession large quantities of metal and dies were captured.

Belva A. Lockwood was admitted to

Belva A. Lockwood was admitted to the bar of the State of New York at Poughkeepsie a week ago. This event marks the termination of a long struggle on her part to secure judicial recogni-

The Texas Legislature has passed a law providing that the money received from the direct tax refund shall be restored, as far as possible, to the person who paid the tax or their represents

The New West Education Commission has received \$10,000 from Nathaniel Gordon of Exeter, N. H., for the permanent endowment of Ogden Academy, Utah, which will hereafter be known as the Gordon Academy. The recent recommendation of Acting Register Smith for the destruction of \$152,000,000 of unissued registered 4½ per cent bonds of the funded loan of 1891 has been approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the bonds will be destroyed.

The Ladies' Memorial Bazar, which has been in progress at Richmond for several weeks, has closed. The object of the bazar was to raise funds for establishing a Confederate museum in the old home of Jefferson Davis in Richmond. The bazar netted nearly \$20,000.

Superintendent Herman Stumpf, with

Superintendent Herman Stumpf, with the approbation of Secretary Carlisle, has male a new and important ruling overturning former practices as to the admission of idiot immigrants, when ac-companied by parents, into the United S. es. He holds it to be the intention of the act to make each class of debarred immigrants separate and distinct. immigrants separate and distinct. A comparative statement of the values

A comparative statement of the values of exports of breadstuffs is as follows: For the month ending April 30, 1803, \$12,621 125, a decrease of 45,530,000 from the corresponding period of 1802; for the four months ended April 30 last, 7, 233,345, a decrease of 444,000,000 for the time period of last year; for the ten months ended April 30 last, 157,655,013, a decrease of 195,000,000 for the corresponding period of 1892. sponding period of 1892.

PORTLAND MARKET.

WHEAT-Nominal, Valley,\$1.20; Walla Walla, \$1.10 per cental.

Walla, \$1.10 per cental.
FLOUR-Standard, \$3.40; Walla Walla, \$3.40; graham, \$3.00; superfine, \$2.50 per barrel.
OATS-Choice, \$44@45c per bushel; fair, \$40c; rolled, in bags, \$6.25@6.50; barrels, \$6.50@6.75; cases, \$3.75.
HAY-Best, \$11@13.50 per ton; com-

mon, 10 w 10.

Milistores — Bran, \$19.00; shorts

Milistoffs — Bran, \$19.00; shorts, \$22.00; ground barley, \$23.a24; chop feed, \$18 per to.1; whole feed, barley, \$0.65c per cental; middlings, \$23.a24; per ton; brewing barley, \$0.695c per cental; chicken wheat, \$1.17½ per cental.

per ton; brewing barley, 90 @95c per cental; chicken wheat, \$1.17½ per cental. BUTTER—Oregon fancy creamery, 22½ @25c; fancy dairy, 17½@20c; fair to good, 15@16c; common, 12½c per pound; California, 31@37½c per roll.

Eags—Oregon, 15@16c per dozen.
Poultray—Chickens, mixed coops, \$4.00 @4.50; fancy coops, \$5.50; broilers, \$6@6 per dozen; dressed chickens, 10 @11c per pound; ducks, \$7.00@8.50; geese, \$9.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 18c; dressed, 20c per pound.

Vegetables—Cabbage, \$1.65 per cental foroid; \$2c per pound for ne. \$; onions, 3 @3½c per pound; cut onions, 1¼@1½c per pound; potatoes, \$1.50@1.60 for Garnet Chilis; \$1.80@1.90 for Burbanks; new, 2@2½c per pound; cauliflower, 90c per dozen, \$2.75 per crate; Oregon, \$1.25 per dozen, \$2.55 per dozen, \$2.00 per box; lettuce, California, 25c per dozen; Oregon hothouse, 40@45c; asparagus, \$2.2.25 per box; radishes, 10@12½c per dozen; rhobarb, 5c per pound; green peas, \$2.0c per box; barbanks; \$1.80 per dozen, \$1.50 per dozen; string beans, 14@16c per pound; California garlic, 5@6c.

FRUTE—Sicily lemons, \$5@5.50 per box; California new crop, \$3.00@4.50 per box; bananas, \$1.50@3.00 per box; navels, \$3.00@3.50; cranberries, \$12.50 per barrel; apples, \$2.25 per box; strawberries, 12½c per pound; pineapples, \$4.50@5.50 per dozen; cherries, \$1.25@1.50 per box.

STAPLE GROCERIES.

1.50 per box.

STAPLE GROCERTES.

HONEY—Choice comb, 18c per pound; new Oregon, 16@20a; extract, 9@10c.

SALT — Liverpool, 100s, \$15.00; 50s, \$15.50; stock, \$10.00@11.00.

DRIED FRUTTS—Petite prunes, 11@12c; silver, 11@14c; Italian, 13_415c; Ger-man, 11@12c; plums, 8@12c; apples, 6 @11c; evaporated apricots, 15@17½c; peaches, 12@14c; pears, 7@11c per pound. pound. Rics—Island.\$4.75@5.00; Japan,\$4.75;

RICE—Island 34.70 do.00; Japan, 34.75; New Orleans, 34.50 per cental. Corres—Costa Rica, 22c; Rio, 22c; Salvador, 213c; Mocha, 283c@30c; Java, 243c@30c; Arbuckle's and Lion, 100-pound cases, 24 35-100c per pound; Co-lumbia, same, 24 35-100c. BEANS—Small whites, 33c; pinks, 33c; bayos, 33c; butter, 4c; lima, 4c per pound.

in half-barrels, 42 %57c; in cases, 35.8 80c per gallon; \$2.25 per keg; California, in barrels, 20 %40c per gallon; \$1.75 per keg.
SUGAR—Net prices: D,514c; Golden C,
556c; extra C,54c; Magnolia A,54c;
grannlated, 64c; cube, crushed and
powdered, 8c; confectioners' A, 64c
per pound; maple sugar, 15@16c per

per pound. Synue-Eastern, in barrels, 40@55c;

\$1.00@1.20; blackberries, \$1.25@1.40 per dozen. Pie fruits, gallons, assorted, \$3.15 @3.50; peaches, \$3.50 @4.00; apricots, \$3.50 @4.00; plums, \$2.75@3.00; blackberries, \$4.25 @4.50.

Veurrables—Corn, \$1.50@1.75; tomatoes, \$1.10 &1.15; sugar peas, \$1; string

toes, \$1.10 £1.15; sugar peas, \$1; string beans, 95c per dozen.

Marrs—Corned beef, 1s, \$1.50; 2s, \$2.40; chipped, \$2.55 £4.00; lunch tongue, 1s, \$4; 2s, \$6.75; deviled ham, \$1.75 £12.75 per dozen.

Fisit—Sardines, \$4s, 75c@\$2.25; \$4s, \$2.15 £4.50; lobsters, \$2.30 £3.50; salmon, tin 1-lb talls, \$1.25 £3.50; flats, \$1.75; 2-lbs, \$2.25 £2.50; \$4-barrel, \$5.50.

BEEF — Prime steers, \$3.85@4.25; choice steers, \$3.75@4.00; fair to good steers, \$3.00@3.50; good to choice cows,

steers, \$3.00@3.50; good to choice cows, \$3.15@3.75; common to medium cows, \$2.50@2.75; dressed beef, \$6.00@7.00.
MUTTON—Choice mutton, \$4.25@4.50; fair to good, \$4.00@4.50; dressed, \$8.00; lambs, \$2.00@2.50; dressed, \$7.00@8.00; shearlings, 3½c, live weight.
Hoos—Choice heavy, \$7.50@7.75; medium, \$6.50@6.75; light and feeders, \$6.00@6.50; dressed, \$8.00.
VEAL—\$4.00@6.00.
SMOKED MEAT AND LAND—Hams,

VRAL—\$4.00@6.00.

SMOKED MEAT AND LARD—Hams, large, 17@18c per pound; hams, medium, 16½@17½c; breakfast bacon, 16@18½c; short clear sides, 14@15c; dry salt sides, 13½@14½c; lard, compound, in tins, 12@12½c per pound; pure, in tins, 15@16c; Oregon lard, 11½@12½c. MISCELLANEOUS. NARS—Base quotations: Iron, \$2.25; steel, \$2.35; wire, \$2.75 per keg. IRON—Bar, 23/c per pound; pig-iron,

IRON—Bar, 2½c per pound; pig-iron, \$23@25 per ton.
STEEL—Per pound, 10½c.
TR—I. C. charcoal, 14x20, prime quality, \$8.50@9.00 per box; for crosses, \$2 extra per box; I. C. coke plates, 14x20, prime quality, \$7.50@8.00 per box; terne plate, I. C., prime quality, \$6.88@7.00; 14x20, \$14.

LEAD—Per pound, 4½c; bar, 6½c.
NAVAL STORES—Oakum, \$4.50@5.00 per bale; resin, \$4.80@5.00 per 480 pounds; tar, Stockholm, \$13.00; Carolina, \$9.00 per barrel; pitch, \$6.00 per barrel; turpentine, 65c per gallon, in car lots.

AGRICULTURAL.

The Cause of Small Yields of Wheat in America.

THE SUGAR BEET IN KANSAS.

Seed Potatoes Should be Exposed to Light-Soft Coal Cinders Good for Hogs.

Salt and wood ashes in reach of hogs are beneficial. Good for horses also. The neglect given the chicks now can-

by.

The nursery barn at the World's Fair grounds contains a happy lot of high-bred calves.

Seed potatoes should be exposed to the light so that strong spronts may be de-veloped.

Is your experience that cooked or soaked corn is better than dry, hard corn for hogs? Health, comfort and neatness are the

Little chicks enjoy fresh water to drink.

Give them some, even though you pro-vide milk for them. If your fowls have the range of the farm and have access to fresh water, they will need but little care.

It takes as much brains to run a farm successfully as it does to conduct any other business of like proportions. It is a mistake to become so absorbed in routine work on the farm that no time is left for thought, planning or recrea-

If you mean to sell spring chickens, sell them in the spring—not in the fall for 8 or 10 cents a pound and lose money Soft coal cinders and charcoal from wood ashes or cobe should be among the "appetizers" kept on the hog's bill of fare daily.

If you are raising chicks for the eggs they will lay, don't keep the cockerels till fall; sell them as soon as large enough for broilers.

A writer in an exchange says that, as geese live on the herbage of the field, they "should be largely raised as substitutes for mutton. The Superintendent of the Kansas experiment station says that the experi-ments with sugar beets in that State in-dicate that the soil is not adapted to

their growth.

A New York farmer thinks that the cause of small yields of wheat in the United States is due to thin seeding. He thinks three bustels none too much to sow to the acre. Nitrogen is the most expensive ingredient of fertilizers. It is believed that the cheapest means of supplying it is by growing clover and plowing it under green or by feeding the stock and return-

ing the manure. pound.

*1.75 *2.00; peaches, \$1.85 \(\pmu(2.10)\$; Bartlett pears, \$1.75 \(\pmu(2.00)\$; plums, \$1.37\(\pmu(0.00)\$; as whereies, \$2.25 \(\pmu(2.40)\$; blackberries, \$1.85 \(\pmu(2.20)\$; maspherries, \$2.40; pineapples, \$2.25 \(\pmu(2.40)\$; blackberries, \$1.85 \(\pmu(2.20)\$; peaches, \$1.25; plums, \$1.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$1.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$1.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$2.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$2.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$2.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$1.25; plums, \$2.00\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$2.25\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plackberries, \$2.25\(\pmu(1.20)\$; plums, \$2.25\(\pmu(1.20)\$ get dark cocks and extra light ones to get light lens—that is, hens to mate the cock—thus making up a pen that will look very nice on exhibition; but, if you breed the pen, the result will be dark pullets, and the next season you will be farther away from the desired result than before, and you will be compelled to mate them with a very light cock to get the pullets lighter. It is as natural for the Piymouth Rock cock to be lighter than the hens as for the Brown Leghorn cock to be darker than the hens; and, if we want to breed to a uniform color, the only way is to select medium light hens, bluish gray, barred with dark or blue, the bars being distinct, the cock being a little lighter than the hens, mating each year the same way. If breeders will follow this rule, they will find that the Plymouth Rock will breed truer and will be able to breed show birds; otherwise we must have two separate matings, one for able to breed show birds; otherwise we must have two separate matings, one for cocks and one for pullets, which is not always convenient for parties who can only keep one yard. It is too much like a first cross on two varieties; some of them look very nice, but the next breeding is away off.

HABIT IN COWS.

Every man who handles cows should remember that they are creatures of habit. Habit made them, and habit alone will continue them in the line of their good work. To make use of this knowledge we should always and on all occasions treat the cow as nearly as possible in the same way. She is fond of her home life and its monotonous routine, and any deviation from that treadmill method greatly disturbs her equanimity, and that disturbance acts immediately on her milk-giving organs greatly to the loss of the man who owns her. We have not found that she even likes a change of food, except from dry to grass, and that upsets the milk yield for a few days. She must have the same stall and the same companions; she must be milked by the same man. If you have got into the practice, which some men condemn, of feeding her while you milk, then keep it up, for it has become a habit with her, and without it she will be restless and inclined to hold up her milk.

car lots.

Shor—\$1.80 per sack.

Hors, wool. And hides.

Hors—\$10@15c per pound, according to quality.

Wool—Umpqua valley, \$16@17c; fall clip, \$13@15\sqc c; Willamette valley, \$15\sqc according to quality:

Eastern Oregon, \$10\sqc according to quality; Eastern Oregon, \$10\sqc according to quality:

Hides—Dry hides, selected prime, \$6\sqc sc; green, selected, over \$5\sqc pounds, \$4c; under \$5\sqc pounds, \$30\cdoc sc; medium, \$60\sqc s830\cdoc; long, \$90\cdoc \delta \